

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HOTCHKISS <i>et al.</i>	Docket No: 369526-101 (346323)
Serial No.: 10/055,675	Confirmation No.: 7937
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For: CLINICAL RESEARCH DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD	Examiner: Pannala, Sathyanaraya

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114 WITH SUBMISSION**

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2006, which is currently on Appeal, Applicants submits the following request for continued prosecution and submission. A Request for Extension of Time is being filed herewith to extend the time period for response up to and including April 17, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.